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Applicants: Reiner Luttmann et al.

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For : METHOD AND DEVICE FOR THE BIOTECHNOLOGICAL  
PRODUCTION OF VALUABLE PRODUCTS

Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Sir:

This amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action of  
April 30, 2010. Please amend the application as follows: